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State disciplines health care providers

OLYMPIA -- The Washington State Department of Health has taken disciplinary actions or withdrawn charges against health care providers in our state.

The department's Health Systems Quality Assurance Division works with boards, commissions, and advisory committees to set licensing standards for more than 80 health care professions (e.g., medical doctors, nurses, counselors).

Information about health care providers is on the agency website. Click on "[Look up a health care provider license](#)" in the "How Do I?" section of the [Department of Health website](#) (doh.wa.gov). The site includes information about a health care provider's license status, the expiration and renewal date of their credential, disciplinary actions and copies of legal documents issued after July 1998. This information is also available by calling 360-236-4700. Consumers who think a health care provider acted unprofessionally are encouraged to call and report their complaint.

Benton County

In November 2015 the Osteopathic Board ended conditions on the credential of osteopathic physician **James Paul Maganito** (OP60089226).

Chelan County

In November 2015 the Veterinary Board ended conditions on the veterinarian credential of **Bryce Willard Davisson** (VT60037356).

Cowlitz County

In November 2015 the Medical Commission charged physician **John W. Hamill** (MD00040582) with unprofessional conduct. Charges say Hamill's "substandard chronic noncancer pain management created a substantial risk of patient harm." Charges further say Hamill is not a pain management specialist and lacks the necessary background to treat chronic noncancer pain, but prescribed pain medications "to excessively dangerous levels." Hamill allegedly didn't fully comply with pain management rules in treatment of seven patients.

King County

In November 2015 the Pharmacy Commission ended conditions on the pharmacy assistant credential of **Brendan Trenton Engrahm** (VB60562553).

In November 2015 the Nursing Commission charged registered nurse **Pamela Jean Dyer** (RN00057644) with unprofessional conduct. Dyer allegedly borrowed money from patients. Charges say she tested positive for morphine, for which she had no prescription.

In November 2015 the Veterinary Board ended conditions on the veterinary technician credential of **Shannon Elaine Norland** (AT60183592).

In November 2015 the Nursing Commission charged licensed practical nurse **Christina M. Bresina** (LP00058796) with unprofessional conduct. Bresina allegedly admitted diverting narcotics from a retirement home where she worked. Charges say she didn't dispose of controlled substances with a witness present as facility policy required.

Kitsap County

In October 2015 the Medical Commission charged physician **William M. Bauer** (MD00035422) with unprofessional conduct. Bauer allegedly provided substandard care to seven patients.

In November 2015 the Nursing Assistant Program charged registered nursing assistant **Elizabeth Laura Sorensen** (NA60472968) with unprofessional conduct. Sorensen allegedly diverted narcotics from a patient at an assisted living facility where she worked.

Pierce County

In November 2015 the Medical Commission placed physician **John F. Gillman** (MD60265170) on probation, restricted him from treating female patients without a chaperone, and fined him \$5,000. Gillman had a sexual relationship with a patient.

In November 2015 the Medical Commission ended probation for physician **Janet E. Weir** (MD60051240).

In November 2015 the Nursing Commission charged licensed practical nurse **Stephanie Renae Jackson**, also known as Stephanie Evans (LP00050713), with unprofessional conduct. In 2014 Jackson was convicted in Georgia of involuntary manslaughter.

Snohomish County

In November 2015 the Unlicensed Practice Program notified **Un Ha Lim** of its intent to issue a cease-and-desist order. Lim allegedly was employed to provide massage services to the public despite not having a license.

In November 2015 the Unlicensed Practice Program notified **Myong Hwa Smith** of its intent to

issue a cease-and-desist order. Smith allegedly was employed to provide massage services to the public despite not having a license.

In November 2015 the Unlicensed Practice Program notified **Myoung Tucker** of its intent to issue a cease-and-desist order. Tucker allegedly was employed to provide massage services to the public despite not having a license.

In November 2015 the Unlicensed Practice Program notified **Yi Sun King** of its intent to issue a cease-and-desist order. King allegedly was employed to provide massage services to the public despite not having a license.

Spokane County

In November 2015 the Medical Commission modified an agreement with physician **Molly Hutsinpillar** (MD00033833) that ends her suspension and places her on probation. Hutsinpillar must complete a substance abuse monitoring agreement. Hutsinpillar's Washington license was suspended in 2014 after her Utah medical license was suspended. She was later placed on probation in Utah.

In November 2015 the Nursing Commission charged licensed practical nurse **Kelly Lynn Krockner** (LP00044713) with unprofessional conduct. Krockner allegedly submitted two assessment sheets for the same patient, one from memory without using notes. Charges say the sheets differed significantly, and Krockner said she had forgotten having submitted the first sheet because of a neurological condition.

Thurston County

In October 2015 the secretary of health denied a massage practitioner credential to **Audriana Kristina Haisch** (MA60541215). In 2010 Haisch was convicted of second-degree burglary, and shoplifting.

Whatcom County

In November 2015 the Unlicensed Practice Program notified **Annelle Norman** of its intent to issue a cease-and-desist order. Norman allegedly represented herself as a "licensed homeopath" despite having no Washington health care license. She allegedly maintained a clinic and advised a patient to use homeopathic remedies.

In November 2015 the secretary of health conditionally granted a certified medical assistant credential to **Sarra Marie Fee** (CM60586766) and placed her on probation for at least one year. In 2014 Fee pleaded guilty to third-degree theft.

In November 2015 the Unlicensed Practice Program notified **Amanda Medici**, also known as Amanda Adams, of its intent to issue a cease-and-desist order. Medici allegedly represented herself as a licensed mental health counselor, but doesn't have such a license.

Yakima County

In October 2015 the Massage Practitioner Program charged massage practitioner **Shuai Li** (MA60348395) with unprofessional conduct. Li allegedly had sexual contact with four clients.

In November 2015 the Pharmacy Commission entered an agreement with pharmacy assistant **Sheila Ann Tobey** (VB60079182) that requires her to undergo an evaluation for a substance abuse monitoring program. Tobey admitted diverting narcotics from the pharmacy where she worked.

Out of State

California: In November 2015 the Medical Commission ended terms in an agreement with physician **Patrick C. Freyne** (MD60114676).

Indiana: In November 2015 the Nursing Commission charged registered nurse **Amber Sue Ranson** (RN60248105) with unprofessional conduct. Ranson allegedly didn't comply with a substance abuse monitoring contract.

Oregon: In November 2015 the Nursing Commission conditionally granted a registered nurse credential to **Tiffany E. Tarabochia** (RN60604214) and ordered her to participate in a substance abuse monitoring program. Tarabochia's Oregon nursing license was placed on probation in 2015 after she tested positive for controlled substances.

Note to Editors: Health care providers charged with unprofessional conduct have 20 days to respond to the Department of Health in writing. The case then enters the settlement process. If no disciplinary agreement can be reached, the case will go to a hearing.

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